

MAY ARREST MORS TO-DAY IN POISON CASE

Odd Fellows Home Porter Expected to Be Released From Bellevue.

AUTHORITIES BEGIN TO DOUBT CONVICTION

YONKERS, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Frederick Mors, the former porter in the German Odd Fellows Home, may be released from Bellevue Hospital to-morrow noon. A three-hour conference this afternoon between Dr. Minus S. Gregory, head of the psychopathic ward, and the county authorities of The Bronx and Westchester failed to reach a conclusion as to the mental condition of the arrangements made to turn him over to Deputy Sheriff John C. Moore of Westchester county, who planned to bring him before Coroner James P. Dunn on a warrant charging him with the killing of Frederick Horn and others by poison or other means at the home where he used to be employed.

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Begin to See Doubt.

Adam Bangert, the suspended superintendent, and Max Ring, one of the porters in the home, were examined by the alienist and the other officials in particular reference to Mors's confession of wholesale poisoning, but their testimony, according to the authorities, only confirmed the conviction that if Mors's confession is true neither Bangert nor any of the others at the home did anything to do with the porter's confessed actions.

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CRAM PROVES A TARTAR FOR P. S. C. INQUISITORS

Commissioner's Ready Wit Match for Hayward's Bludgeon.

WOOD ONLY SURE HE'S BEEN EFFICIENT

The Thompson committee found out yesterday why Charles F. Murphy years ago chose J. Sergeant Cram for his political and social mentor.

Examined for three hours at City Hall about his work as a Public Service Commissioner Mr. Cram was a match for his inquisitors—sometimes more, his shrewdness, unexpected knowledge of what is going on, bluntness, humor, poise and savvy, his quick retorts, his ultra-Harvard accent—all these made Mr. Cram an engaging, pungent, effective witness.

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"Mr. McCall thinks the mandamus suit will fall—do you?" "Haven't thought about it. As a matter of fact the subway service is remarkable. The road is doing the best it can in rush hours. The non-rush service could be improved."

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HARTMAN GUILTY OF ROBBING WIDOW

Jury Convicts Promoter on Mrs. Mackenzie's Charges in Eight Minutes.

HER LOSSES \$685,000

It took a jury before Justice Weeks in the Supreme Court just eight minutes to convict Richard J. Hartman, a promoter, of grand larceny in the first degree. He was charged specifically of the larceny of two stock certificates of 100 shares each of Singer Sewing Manufacturing stock valued at \$27,000, the property of Mrs. Charlotte L. Mackenzie. Incidentally it was shown that Mrs. Mackenzie lost practically her entire estate of \$685,000 through Hartman.

The children of the defendant were in court when the verdict was rendered. Mrs. Hartman was not. Mrs. Mackenzie was absent from the room, but several of her relatives heard the verdict. Hartman will be sentenced next Wednesday. He may get up to ten years in prison.

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THEODORE MYERS TAKES BRIDE AT 70

Ex-Comptroller's Marriage a Surprise to All But a Few Friends.

BROKER AND FINANCIER

Theodore Myers, ex-City Comptroller, and Mrs. Rose Alexis Knight, formerly of Boston, were married yesterday afternoon by Rabbi Rudolph Crossman at Temple Rodef Shalom at his home, 1347 Lexington avenue. They left for New Orleans after the ceremony. Mr. Myers is 70 years old and his bride 46.

Mr. Myers had confided his intention of marrying to only a few friends. At the apartment house at 44 West Seventy-seventh street, where Mr. Myers had an apartment on the fourth floor, their marriage was a surprise to those who knew them. Those present at the ceremony were Edward Myers and Euprett Joseph, Mr. Myers's nephews; Arthur Levy, a retired business man, and Jacob Wolf, a lawyer of 170 Broadway. Mr. Myers's first wife, who was Miss Rosalie Hart, whom he married in 1870, died several years ago. They had one son. It is expected that after two weeks in New Orleans Mr. and Mrs. Myers will return to New York to live. In applying yesterday for a marriage license the bride-to-be said she had been divorced. Mr. Myers was Comptroller from 1882 to 1892. He had been a Park Commissioner for one year. He was the first president of the Business Men's Democratic Association. In the civil war he was a Captain in the Third New York Infantry. In 1864 he became a cashier in the banking house of Cambos & Myers. In 1884 he organized the firm of Theodore Myers & Son, with branches in Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Chicago and other cities. He retired in 1902 when his son died and became a director in the Colonial Trust Company.

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N. Y. CENTRAL WINS MEDAL FOR SAFETY

Gets Harriman Gold Prize for Accident Prevention and Hygiene in 1914.

OTHER AWARDS MADE

The New York Central Railroad, by its president, A. H. Smith, last night at the Engineering Building, 25 West Thirty-ninth street, received the E. H. Harriman memorial gold medal for the best record in accident prevention and industrial hygiene during the year ended June 30, 1914.

Prof. Frederick R. Hutton of Columbia University, in making the presentation for the American Museum of Safety, referred to the "remarkable record" of the New York Central, saying that not one passenger had been killed in a train accident on the road in four years and that during this time the number of passengers actually carried on its trains equaled twice the population of the United States.

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FIVE REPUBLICANS IN DOG, RESCUED AT SEA, ELECTION FRAUD NET WINS U. S. MUZZLESHIP

Terre Haute Candidates Paid \$1,000 for Votes Not Delivered, Is Charge. Banned From England, He Becomes an American by the Raffle Route.

THOMAS HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 10.—Roy Shattuck, Republican candidate for Congress in the Fifth district, Warren Soules, William Peary, William Meyers and Morton Holmes, Republican candidates for county treasurer, auditor, assessor and commissioner respectively, were arrested to-day on an indictment returned by the United States Grand Jury for conspiracy to prevent citizens voting or serving on election boards. All gave bond.

This is the Republican conspiracy to which United States District Attorney Frank Dally referred at the time 115 arrests were made, December 26, of what has been known as the Democratic conspiracy indictment. The indictment charges that the five Republicans gave \$100 to a red light saloon keeper, a political leader named Frank Hess, to cause election boards in two precincts to make returns in their favor. Mayor Donn Roberts, Assistant Chief of Police Nugent and others are named in the indictment as fellow conspirators. The precincts gave notices for Democratic opponents of the five Republicans, who have been laughed at ever since as "suckers" for it is said that Hess took their money and then made bets that these candidates would not carry the red light ward.

MOB LYNCHES WHITE MAN.

MAYFIELD, Ky., Feb. 10.—A mob broke into the county jail early to-day, dragged Thomas Fisher, a white man, from his cell and lynched him from a tree on the jail grounds. Fisher, it is charged, shot and killed Constable J. Hart. His body was flung with bullets.

Telegraphic Service to El Arich.

The Ottoman Administration advised that international telegraphic service is established with El Arich in Egypt.

FISK Tires advertisement with table of prices and company information. Table includes sizes like 3 x 30, 3 1/2 x 30, 4 x 33, 4 x 34, 4 1/2 x 36, 5 x 37 and prices for plain tread casing, non-skid casing, and tubes. Includes text: 'WITH FISK SERVICE', 'New Low Prices', 'For Established Fisk Quality', 'BIG PRODUCTION, with our ever increasing distribution, makes the reduction of price and the maintenance of quality possible. You profit both ways.', 'Here is The New Standard For Values', 'If You Pay More Than Fisk Prices You Pay For Something That Does Not Exist', 'BETTER TIRES than FISK are not made. They are backed by a service policy that is a revelation in efficiency and completeness to those who use Fisk Tires for the first time.', 'Fisk Tires and Fisk Service Are Inseparable', 'Every sale we make combines tire mileage and service and the personal interest in each individual transaction to make your satisfaction complete.', 'You Can Buy Fisk Tires At All Dealers', 'THE FISK RUBBER COMPANY OF N. Y.', 'Home Office, Chicopee Falls, Mass.', 'New York Branch 1725 Broadway', 'Brooklyn, 1207 Bedford Avenue'.